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SCHOOL FINANCE MEMORANDUM 05-049

TO: School District and Charter School Administrators and Business Managers

FROM: Philip Williams, Deputy Associate Superintendent of School Finance

DATE: May 2, 2005

SUBJECT: Full Day Kindergarten Payment 11

The Full Day Kindergarten (FDK) Fund Payments #11 has been made. This payment includes the monthly apportionment for May 2005 (FY 2004-05). The FDK payment #11 has been calculated using the most current Fiscal Year 2003-04 100th day Average Daily Membership (ADM).

Per A.R.S. §15-901.02 (key information and requirements to follow):

- > Enrollment in FDK is an option for parents.
- > FDK monies may only be expended on FDK.
- A school level report on the expenditures of FDK monies is required of all LEA's receiving FDK monies. Information regarding the requirements of this report will be forthcoming from ADE and the Office of the Auditor General.

USFR 206 for Districts and USFRCS 52 for Charter schools provide additional information on FDK. The language in Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S. §15-901.02) authorizing the funding of Full day Kindergarten is accessible at: http://www.azleg.state.az.us/FormatDocument.asp?inDoc=/ars/15/00901-02.htm&Title=15&DocType=ARS

The School Finance Bulletin Board and Reports web pages include information on the distribution for each district and charter. These web pages are available through the School Finance web site at: http://www.ade.az.gov/schoolfinance.

For additional information on FDK, please visit the FDK web page on the ADE web site at: http://www.ade.az.gov/earlychildhood/fulldaykinder/